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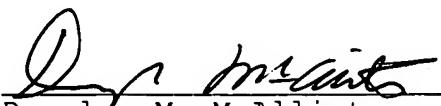
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Dear Sir:

On December 22, 2003, Applicant filed the above-referenced patent application in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

To date, Applicant has not received an official Filing Receipt for the above-referenced patent application and respectfully requests the Patent and Trademark Office to forward same to Applicant's undersigned attorney.

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